

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-15 and 17-23 as indicated below.

1. (Currently amended) ~~An electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~
system, comprising:

a processor; and

a memory storing computer instruction code executable by the processor to
implement an electronic purchasing system configured to implement;

~~an applications content mapping module for automatically mapping~~
electronic purchase requisition ~~application~~ content ~~[[of]]~~ in a first
data format processed internally to a second data format utilizing
tags of said first data format to determine corresponding data
objects;

accessing a database configured to store ~~for storing~~ data descriptors
describing ~~the contents of said electronic purchase requisition~~
content applications, said database further configured to store
~~storing~~ data objects and attributes pertinent to said electronic
purchase requisition ~~applications~~ content, wherein said tags of said
first data format correspond to data objects and attributes in said
database;

wherein said ~~applications content mapping module is configured to~~
mapping comprises mapping the tags of said first data format to
tags of said second data format to determine data objects and
attributes in said database corresponding to content in said second
format; and

~~applications content translation logic~~, in response to receiving a particular purchase request associated with a particular purchasing requisitioner, ~~for dynamically presenting translated applications content in a third format for delivery to said purchasing requisitioner, wherein said presenting comprises and also for translating content to said particular purchasing requisitioner for presentation thereto, by~~ selectively retrieving one or more of said corresponding data objects and attributes according to ~~[[a]]~~ one or more flags, wherein each said flag indicates whether or not a corresponding data object or attribute is to be presented in said ~~third format~~ translated content.

2. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 1, ~~further comprising wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: an applications content configuration module coupled to said applications content mapping module for~~ providing specific markup language templates which, in combination with said electronic purchase requisition ~~applications~~ content, are translated into content for presentation to a particular purchasing requisitioner.

3. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 2, wherein said electronic purchasing system ~~applications content configuration module~~ is extensible to include pre-defined data descriptors for the contents of said electronic purchasing requisition ~~applications~~ content.

4. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 1, wherein said electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: applications content mapping module comprises data formatting logic for formatting the contents of said electronic purchase requisition ~~applications~~ content from said first format into said second format.

5. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 4, ~~further comprising wherein said electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: using pre-defined tag information responsive to said second data format for enabling said applications content translation logic to retrieve associated data information describing the contents of said electronic purchase requisition applications content.~~

6. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 1, wherein said first data format of said electronic purchase requisition ~~applications~~ content is compliant with Extensible Markup Language (XML) content.

7. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 5, wherein said ~~applications content mapping module further comprises a two-step mapping logic for automatically~~ electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: mapping index information of said first data format into said tag information of said second data format.

8. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim [[2]], wherein said presenting is performed according to a user-customizable configuration ~~the applications content configuration module comprises a~~ text file.

9. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 6, wherein said XML content is compliant with the Open Buying on the Internet Standard.

10. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing and procurement computer~~ system of Claim 7, wherein said particular purchasing requisitioner is a wireless personal computer system.

11. ~~(Currently amended) An electronic purchasing and procurement request Extensible Markup Language (XML) content mapper in an electronic purchasing and procurement computer system, comprising:~~

~~a server coupled to said XML content mapper;~~

~~a processor; and~~

~~a memory storing computer instruction code executable by the processor to implement an electronic purchasing system configured to implement;~~

~~interfacing to~~ a plurality of good and services catalogs residing in a database ~~in said server~~, each of said catalogs comprising unique goods and services identification parameters;

~~a procurement and purchasing Extensible Markup Language (XML) content translator for~~ retrieving in-bound XML data of a first type from a source external to said server in response to a purchase requisition request from a particular purchase order and generating an intermediary XML data of a second type and presenting out-bound XML data of a third type for delivery in response to said purchasing requisition request;

~~XML data traversing logic for~~ traversing said database to extract data objects and attributes corresponding to said particular purchase order according to a mapping of tag information of said in-bound XML data to said intermediary XML data; and

~~a document exchange framework module coupled to said content mapper for providing data execution code for~~ processing said purchase requisition request in said electronic purchasing ~~and procurement~~

system according to a flag for the out-bound XML data, wherein said flag indicates whether or not a corresponding data object or attribute is to be presented in said out-bound XML data.

12. (Currently amended) The computer system XML content mapper of Claim 11, ~~further comprising wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: retrieving one or more~~ XML content formatting templates specific to purchase order line item data object and attribute information defining said goods and services in said purchase order.

13. (Currently amended) The computer system XML content mapper of Claim 12, ~~further comprising XML translation logic for wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement:~~ translating tag information associated with said XML data said first type into corresponding tag information of XML data of said second type for processing by said electronic purchasing ~~and procurement~~ system.

14. (Currently amended) The computer system XML content mapper of Claim 13, ~~further comprising wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: accessing~~ a data configuration file for providing configuration information corresponding to the content of said XML data of said first type ~~for said translating to said XML translation logic.~~

15. (Currently amended) The computer system XML content mapper of Claim 14, wherein said data configuration file is extensible to ~~dynamically~~ alter translation data ~~used for said translating provided to said XML translation logic.~~

16. (Canceled).

17. (Currently amended) ~~An electronic purchasing computer~~ system, comprising:
a processor; and

a memory storing computer instruction code executable by the processor to implement an electronic purchasing system configured to implement:

~~a procurement and purchasing~~ Extensible Markup Language (XML) ~~content translator for retrieving in-bound XML data of a first type from an external source in response to a particular purchase requisition content access request from a particular purchase order, generating an intermediary XML data of a second type by mapping tags of said in-bound XML data to determine data objects corresponding to said intermediary XML data, and presenting out-bound XML data of a third type for delivery in response to said purchase requisition content access request; and~~

~~a document exchange framework module coupled to said XML content translator for providing data execution code for processing said purchase requisition content access request in said electronic purchasing system by selectively retrieving one or more of said corresponding data objects and attribute according to a write-out flag, wherein said write-out flag indicates whether or not a corresponding data object or attribute is to be presented in said out-bound XML data.~~

18. (Currently amended) The electronic purchasing computer system of Claim 17, further comprising wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement: retrieving one or more XML content formatting templates specific to purchase order line item data object and [[an]] attribute information defining said goods and services in said purchase order.

19. (Currently amended) The electronic purchasing computer system of Claim 18, further comprising XML translation logic for wherein the electronic purchasing

system is further configured to implement: translating tag information associated with said XML data of said first type into corresponding tag information of XML data of said second type for processing by said electronic purchasing system.

20. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing computer system~~ of Claim 18, ~~further comprising wherein the electronic purchasing system is further configured to implement:~~ accessing a data configuration file for providing configuration information corresponding to the content of said XML data of said first type ~~to said XML translation logic.~~

21. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing computer system~~ of Claim 20, wherein said ~~XML data configuration file content provider~~ electronic purchasing system is extensible to dynamically alter translation data provided to said ~~XML translation logic~~ electronic purchasing system.

22. (Currently amended) The ~~electronic purchasing computer~~ system of Claim 20, wherein said XML data is compliant with Wireless Markup Language content.

23. (Currently amended) A method of mapping Extensible Markup Language (XML) in an electronic purchasing system, said method comprising:

receiving a purchase request having a first XML data format;

retrieving XML content in a second XML data format in response to said first XML data format in said purchase request from one or more data sources internal to said purchasing system, wherein said retrieving comprises mapping tags of said first XML data format to tags of said second XML data format to determine corresponding data objects; and

transforming said retrieved XML content into appropriate content for an underlying markup language of an Internet browser used by a user

submitting said purchase request by selectively presenting said retrieved XML content according to a ~~write-out~~ flag, wherein said ~~write-out~~ flag indicates whether or not a corresponding data object or attribute is to be presented.

24. (Original) The method of Claim 23, further comprising providing configuration files for retrieving template information specific to said first XML data format for transforming said XML content.

25. (Original) The method of Claim 24, further comprising providing identification tags which correspond to data objects that is used in said transforming of said retrieved XML content.